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Choice Poetry.

SHERIDAN'S RIDE.

Up from the South at break of day,
Bringing to Winchester fresh dismay,
The affrighted air with a shudder bore,
Like a herald in haste to the chieftain's door,
The terrible grumble and rumble and roar,
Telling the battle was on once more,
And Sheridan twenty miles away.

And wider still those billows of war
Thundered along the horizon's bar,
And louder yet in Winchester rolled
The roar of that red sea uncontrolled,
Making the blood of the listener cold
As he thought of the stake in that fiery fray,
And Sheridan twenty miles away.

But there is a road from Winchester town,
A good, broad highway leading down;
And there, through the flush of the morning light,
A steed, as black as the steeds of night,
Was seen to pass as with eagle flight—
As if he knew the terrible need
He stretched away with his utmost speed;
Hill rose and fell—but his heart was gay,
With Sheridan fifteen miles away.

Still sprung from those swift hoofs, thunder'g south,
The dust, like the smoke from the cannon's mouth,
Or the trail of a comet sweeping faster and faster,
Foreboding to traitors the doom of disaster;
The heart of the steed and the heart of the master
Were beating like prisoners assaulting their walls,
Impatient to be where the battle-field calls;
Every nerve of the charger was strained to full play,
With Sheridan only ten miles away.

Under his spurning feet, the road
Like an arrowy Alpine river flowed,
And the landscape sped away behind
Like an ocean flying before the wind;
And the steed, like a bark fed with furnace ire,
Swept on, with his wild eyes full of fire.
But lo! he is nearing his heart's desire—
He is snuffing the smoke of the roaring fray,
With Sheridan only five miles away.

The first that the General saw were the groups
Of stragglers, and then the retreating troops;
What was done—what to do—a glance told him both,
Then strike his spurs with a terrible oath,
He dashed down the line 'mid a storm of huzzas,
And the wave of retreat checked its course there because
The sight of the master compelled it to pause,
With foam and with dust the black charger was gray;
By the flash of his eye, and his red nostrils' play,
He seemed to the whole great army to say:
"I have brought you Sheridan all the way
From Winchester down to save the day."

Hurrah, hurrah, for Sheridan!
Hurrah, hurrah, for horse and man!
And when their statues are placed on high
Under the dome of the Union sky,
The American soldiers' Temple of Fame,
There with the glorious General's name
Be it said in letters both bold and bright;
"Here is the steed that saved the day
By carrying Sheridan into the fight,
From Winchester—twenty miles away!"

Select Miscellany.

SURPRISED.

"Ticket, sir, if you please!"

Between dusk and daylight—the warm gold of the sunset sky just fading into crimson, and the Express train thundering over the iron track like some ferocious demon. Carl Silver became dimly conscious of these things as he started from a brief, restless slumber, wherein his knapsack had served as a pillow and stared vaguely into the sharp Yankee face of the obdurate conductor.

"Ticket! I suppose I have such a thing about me," he muttered drowsily, searching first one pocket and then another. "Oh, here it is. I say conductor, are we near New York?"

"Twenty minutes or so will bring us into Jersey City, sir—we are making pretty good time."

And the sharp faced official passed on to harrass the next unfortunate man who had neglected to put his ticket in his hatband; while Captain Silver dragged himself into a sitting position, putting his two hands back of his head with a portentious yawn, and smiled to remember the fantastic dreams that had chased one another through his brain during that half hour of cramped, uneasy slumber, from which the conductor's challenge had roused him—dreams in which bloody battle-fields and lonely night-marches had blended oddly with sweet home voices, and the sulphurous breath of artillery had mingled with violet scents from the twilight woods around, and gusts of sweetness from the tossing clouds of peach blossoms, through which the Express train shot remorselessly.

And then Carl Silver began to think of other things.

"Conductor!" whispered the fat old lady opposite, in the bombazine bonnet and stiff colored shawl.

"Yes'm," said the man of tickets stopping abruptly in his transit through the cars, and inclining his ear.

"That young man in military cap, conductor—I hope he ain't an escaped lunatic dressed up in soldier clothes, I've heard of such things. And I don't like a bit the way he keeps a grinnin' to himself and rubbin' his two hands together. He's acted queerly all day, and I'm travelin' alone!"

The conductor laughed and passed on. The old lady bridled in offended dignity. Bless her anxious heart!—how was she to know that Captain Silver was only rejoicing in the thoughts of the glorious "surprise" he had in store for his mother and dimple faced sister that night? Was it not a year—twelve long, long months—since he had looked upon their faces last? And now—

On, speed on your way, Express train, through quiet villages where daffodils sprinkle all the gardens with gold. Speed over the sloping hills where springing grass sends up a faint, delicious smell, and brooks babble under swinging-willows—past lonely church-yards, where the white hands of innumerable gravestones beckon through the twilight and are gone; for every throb of your iron pulse brings one true heart nearer home! Shot and shells had spared him for this hour; fever and pestilence and foul malaria have passed him by; and now—

Suppose there should be an accident! He has heard of such things on these lightning-routes. Suppose he should be carried home a dead, mangled corpse, the words of greeting frozen into eternal silence on his lips, the glad sight sealed forever under the heavy eyelids! Strange that such morbid fancies should never have assailed him in the fire and smoke of Gettysburg, yet come to him now, like gusts that would not be driven away, when he was within twenty miles of home! Would it break his mother's heart, or would she live on? And Kate Meriam—Kate Meriam, the blue-eyed, shy little fairy, who would never look at him save through her long brown lashes, and whose coy mouth always made him think of scarlet cherries and roses dashed in dew.

"To think!" ejaculated Carl Silver, bringing down his bronzed fist on the window ledge with a force that made the glass rattle ominously and struck a chill to the heart of the old lady in the bombazine bonnet: "to think that I, who would knock down the man who ventured to tell me I was a coward, should be afraid to say frankly to a little, slender girl that I love her! To think that the very touch of her glove, the sound of her footstep, the rustle of her ribbons, can frighten my self-possession away and make a staring, silent idiot of me! After all, what is a courage worth? There's no use in thinking of it. I shall die an old bachelor, for I'll never marry any woman but Kate Meriam, and I shall never dare to plead my cause with Kate. I wish I hadn't such an absurd streak of cowardice through me."

Yet Captain Silver's men had told a different tale when he led them over the bridge in that dreadful charge at Antietam Cowardice! there are several different interpretations to that word.

"Carriage! carriage! No, I *won't* have a carriage. Get away from me you fellows! You are worse than the locusts of Egyyt and ten times as noisy," cried Captain Silver energetically elbowing his way through the swarms of eager hackmen, who were making night hideous, at the foot of Courtlandt street. "Do you suppose I am going to spoil my precious surprise by a carriage?"

Broadway by gaslight! How strange, yet how familiar it seemed to the returning exile, with its stately facades of freestone and marble, seeming literally to rest on foundations of quivering fire, and its throngs of people, coming and going in everlasting succession, like the tides of a never-resting sea. Carl Silver's heart leaped up in his breast with a quick, joyous throb at the old accustomed sights and sounds. It was good to hear his footsteps on Manhattanese ground.

No light in the house! His heart stood still a moment. This was strange—ominous. But then he remembered that his mother was fond of sitting in the twilight, and dismissed the lingering doubt from his mind. How lucky, the door was on the latch, and swung noiselessly open.

Hush! not a creaking stair or clanking spur must betray him, through the old familiar hall he passed, and into his mother's room, lighted only by the ruddy glimmer of a bright coal fire.

"Where the mischief are they all?" ejaculated Captain Silver under his breath. "No matter—they'll be along soon; meantime I'll wheel this big chair up, and take a bask, for the air is chill, if it is the first of May. Won't they be astonished, though, when they come in? Upon my word, things couldn't have happened nicer! Faugh! what a smell of paint—whitewash, too, as I'm a living sinner. Confound it, I've kicked over a pail of the stuff! If the women folks ain't house cleaning!"

The Captain gave an indignant contemptuous sniff as he surveyed the desolate scene.

"What comfort a female can find in turning things upside down, and deluging the house with soap and water twice a year, I can't imagine. Carpets all up—floors damp—curtains torn down—not one familiar object to greet a fellow's eyes after a twelve month's absence from home. Heigh ho! I think I'll light a cigar."

Which he did, and began to smoke and meditate.

There was a rustle and tripping foot-fall on the stairs. The Captain took out his cigar and listened.

"That's Minny," he said to himself. "Mamma doesn't dance up stairs like that."

He arose, and leaned against the door-casing as the dancing feet came nearer and nearer. How his heart beat as the fire-light shone upon a merino dress and a little white apron on the threshold. And the next moment he had caught the slight form in his arms and was showering kisses on cheek, and brow, and lips and hair.

"Caught for once, Miss Minny?" he exclaimed. "That to pay you for presuming to clean house without my permission! No, your're not going to escape." Such a piercing scream as she rewarded his fraternal demonstration with! Carl Silver let go her waist and retreated against the wall with a faint idea of breaking through the lath and plaster, and hiding himself in the general ruin. For, as truly as he stood there quaking in his regimentals, the voice was not that of his sister Minny, but Kate Meriam!"

"How dare you!" she ejaculated, with crimson cheeks and quivering lips. "I'll ring the bell and call the servants if you don't leave the house this instant!"

"Upon my word, I'm not a burglar or assassin!" pleaded Carl, recovering his self-possession in a measure, as he saw Kate's breathless terror! "It was so dark I could'nt see your face, and I thought it was my sister Minny. Don't you know me, Miss Meriam—Captain Silver?"

"You are an imposter," said Kate, with spirit, "Captain Silver is with the Army of the Potomac."

"No, he is not, he's here," urged Carl. "How shall I prove that I am myself? Kate? Miss Meriam?

For she had sunk on the floor and begun to cry. He knelt beside her with a rough attempt at comfort.

"No," she sobbed, "only—only I was so frightened!"

The little trembling blue-eyed thing! Carl Silver had never seen her in tears before. No shy assumption of dignity now—no royal airs—only brown dishevelled hair. He was the brave one now—how natural it seemed to clasp the tiny palms in his own strong hand!

"Kate, dearest, I love you! With my whole heart, Kate. Nay, do not be so frightened—I would die to save you a moment's terror! Only tell me that your heart is mine!"

And when the tears were dried, leaving the eyes like drenched violets, and the cheeks flushed brightly, Carl Silver had leave and license to keep one fluttering little hand in his and he knew he was an accepted lover.

"But where are my mother and sister?" he asked at length. "And what is the solution of this strange riddle?"

"Don't you know," laughed Kate, "they do not live here any more?"

"Not live here?"

"Have you forgotten that yesterday was the first of May? We occupy the house now, papa and aunt Millicent, and I."

"Oho!" quoth Captain Silver, "so they have moved, and I never to hear of it. Upon my word they treat me pretty coolly."

"Ah, but you would have heard of it," said Kate, "if you had staid quietly in camp to get your letters, instead of roving over the country without a word of warning to your friends."

"Give me one more kiss, and I'm off to see them. One more, my betrothed wife. Does it not seem like a dream?"

"And you are my soldier now," whispered Kate, playing with the gold buttons of his coat with tremulous figers. "Mine to send out into the battle-field, to dream of and pray for Carl, I have always repined that I had no gift for my country, now I can give my best and dearest to aid her cause."

"Spoken like a soldier's wife, Kate," said Silver, with kindling eyes. "If you but knew how much better we rough men fight for knowing that woman's love and woman's prayers enshrine us with a golden, unseen army—nonsense! I'm getting sentimental. Good night."

So there was three surprises that May evening—one for Kate Meriam, (wouldn't you have been surprised, Mademoiselle, to be caught and kissed in the dark, and never know who the kisser was?), one for Captain Silver (a very agreeable one though), and the old original surprise, if we may term it, for his mother and sister. And Carl has not left off congratulating himself that his "leave of absence" happened to fall in the migratory month of May. For if he hadn't blundered into Miss Meriam's house and kissed her by mistake, thereby bringing matters precipitately to a focus, probably to this day he never would have mustered courage to tell her of his love.

And when the golden armadas of the autumn leaves float down the forest brooks, and the blue mist of Indian Summer warps the hills in dreamy light, Carl Silver is coming back to seal Kate Meriam's destiny with a wedding ring.

BRIDESMAIDS.

Next to being a bride herself, every good-looking young woman likes to be a bride's *maid*. Wedlock is thought by a large proportion of the blooming sex to be contagious, and much to the credit of their courage, fair spinsters are not all afraid of catching it. Perhaps the theory that the *affection* is communicated by contact is correct. Certainly we have known one marriage to lead to another, and sometimes to such a series of "happy events" as to favor the belief that matrimony, as John Van Buren might say, "runs like the cholera."

Is there any book entitled "Rules for Bridesmaids," in secret circulation among young ladies? It seems as if there must be, for all the pretty hench-women act precisely alike. So far as official conduct is concerned, when you have seen one bridesmaid you have seen the whole fascinating tribe. Their leading duty seems to be to treat the bride as "a victim led with garlands to the sacrifice." They consider it necessary to exhort her to "cheer up and stand by." It is assumed by a poetic fiction, that she goes in a state of fearful trepidation to the altar, and upon the whole would rather not. Her fair *aids* provide themselves with pungent essences, lest she should faint at the "trying moment," which—between you and us, reader, she has no more idea of doing than she has of flying. It is true she sometimes tells them that she "feels if she should sink into the earth," and thus they respond "poor dear soul," and apply the smelling bottle; but she goes through her nuptial martyrdom with great fortitude, nevertheless. In nine cases out of ten the bridegroom is more "flustered" than the fragile and lovely creature at his side; but nobody thinks of pitying *him*, poor fellow! All sympathy, compassion, interest, is concentrated upon the bride, and if one of the groomsmen *does* recommend him to take a glass of wine before the ceremony, to steady his nerves, the advice is given superciliously—as who should say "what a spoony you are, old fellow."

Bridesmaids may be considered as brides in what the lawyers call the "inchoate" or incipient state. They are looking forward to that day of triumphant weakness when it shall be their turn to be "poor, dear, creatured," and Preston salted, and otherwise sustained and supported as the law of nuptial pretenses directs. Let us hope they may not be disappointed.

A DIME FOR A KISS.—A traveller near the close of a weary day's drive over a lonely and a muddy road, came to a little log cabin in the forest, and asked for a drink. A young woman supplied his wants, and afterwards, as she was the first woman he had seen for several days, he offered her a dime for a kiss. It was duly taken and paid for, and the young lady, who had never seen a dime before, looked at it with some curiosity, then asked what she should do with it. He replied, what she chose, as it was hers. "If that's the case," said she, "you may take it back and give me another kiss!"

YANKEE SCIENTIFIES.—Mr. Eliphalet Stabbs, a real live Yankee from Connecticut in exhibiting his Patent Back action Spanker, thus scientifically describes it:

"On being attached to a baby of any age, it (the spanker,) watches over it like a mother, makes it to desist from swallering thimbles, marbles and three cent pieces, pins, or any other food unsuited to its stomach; compels it to go to sleep when it doesn't want to; and if somewhat older, it sees that it keeps its hand off the sugar bowl and jam pots; besides making it keep its face clean—and all by the power of its back action."

SOCIETY.

Society is a horrible fellow. He is composed partly of pretty good fellows, but take him altogether he is bad. Modern social philosophers are of this opinion, and of course *they* know. The only way to mend the rascal, some of them tell us, is to pull him to pieces, and put him together again, on an entirely new plan. The scamp you see, is wrongly constituted, and always has been, although we have only recently found it out. If you look at him you will remark that he is made up of a lot of selfish sub-organizations called households, each of which loves itself better than all the world and his wife besides. This is a fearful evil—it prevents "fusion," "oneness of purpose," and all that sort of thing. How can you expect a concern to work well that is made up of independent fragments? segregation is ruin of us. Here are millions of separate domestic bundles knotted up with such ridiculous ligatures as matrimonial, filial and fraternal ties! Open them and mix the contents indiscriminately together. That's the way to remodel Society! At present he is a wretch that it would be gross flattery to call a criminal of any one particular class, inasmuch as he is a conglomerate of all criminals and responsible for all crimes. He ought to be hung—no not hung, reconstructed. To be sure the Bible recognizes the laws by which he is governed, and the patriarchs, prophets and evangelists, only wished to reform his faults, not to demolish him, and set up a Godless experiment in his stead—but then the Bible is a very old book and the personages referred to had old fashioned notions, and this you know, is the age of Progress.

JOSH BILLINGS ON SHANGHAIS.—The shanghi reuster is a gentile and speaks in a forrin tung. He iz bilt on piles like a Sandy Hillcrane. If he had bin bilt with 4 legs, he wud resembul the Peruvian lama. He iz not a game animal, but quite often comes off sekund best in a ruff and tumble fite; like the injuns kant stand civilization, and are fast disappearing. Tha roost on the ground similar tew the mud turkle. Tha often go tew sleep standing, and sum times tha pitch over, and when tha dew, tha enter the ground like a pickaxe. There food consis ov corn in the ear. Tha crow like a Jackass troubled with broonskeesucks. Tha will eat as much tew onst as a district skule master, and ginerally sit down rite oph tew keep frum tipping over. Tha are dredful unhandy tew cook, yu kant git them awl into a potash kittle to onst. The female reuster lays an egg as big az a kokernut, and iz sick for a week afterwards, and when she hatches out a litter ov young shanghis she has tew brood them standing, and then kant kiver up 3 ov them, the rest stand around on the outside, like boys around a cirkus tent, gittin a peep under the kanvass whenever tha can. The man who fust brought the breed into this country ought tew own them all and be obliged tew feed them on grasshoppers, caught bi hand. I never owned but one and he got choked tu deth bi a kink in a clothes line, but not until he had swallowed 18 feet ov it. Not any shanghi for me if you please; I wonld rather board a traveling kolporter, and as for eating one, give me a biled owl rare dun, or a turkee buzzard, toasted hole, and stuffed with a pair ov injin rubber boots but not any shanghi for me not any shanghi!

TRAVELLING IN THE DESERT.—The mode of travelling in the Desert has so often been described, that I need do no more than add my tribute to its charms. There is no life to be compared to it; the air you breathe is an elixir. In the Desert we learn for the first time what hunger really is, and what depths of repose its fatigues can open to us. The Arabian heaven is indeed "poured upon our nights," and although the Arabian sun during the day may be a little too hot, yet the delicious coolness of the evening atones for the previous frizzle. Every incident, however trivial, is an excitement. A strange Arab, on his swift dromedary, is seen in the horizon, perhaps a spy from a hostile tribe—faint hopes of a skirmish, and a careful looking to pistols and fire-arms; a group of stunted shrubs indicating the presence of some "diamond of the Desert;" the comfortable encampment in the evening, so home-like that one leaves the very chicken bones the next morning with regret. All is delightful, strange, new, and exhilarating; and I sit down again by my sea-coal fire with a deep feeling of thankfulness that I have experienced the delights of Eastern travel.

DON'T KNOW MUCH.—A certain green customer, who was a stranger to mirrors, and who stepped into the cabin of one of our ocean steamers, stopping in front of a large pier glass which he took for a door, he said: "I say, mister, when does this boat start?" Incensed at the still, silent figure, he broke out: "Go to thunder! you darned sassafraf-colored, shock-headed bull calf, you don't look as though you knowed very much, anyhow!"

A PARIS INCIDENT.—A young boy of sixteen years of age was brought before the police court, Paris, charged with stealing and begging in the public streets. He was a bright, fine looking boy but very poorly clad, and when brought before the judge, he fell upon his knees and begged him not to put him in prison; that his mother was very sick and starving, and that alone had driven him to steal; that he could not find work, and if he was imprisoned, the disgrace would kill his poor mother. The judge seemed somewhat moved at the boy's story, but he nevertheless, after hearing the evidence, condemned him to six weeks imprisonment.

As the boy was being led away, a poor woman, pale, covered with rags, and her hair in disorder, forced her way through the crowd, and tottering up to the boy, passed one arm around him, and then turning to the judge, pushed back her long black hair, and exclaimed, "Do you not recognize me? Thirteen years have passed since you deserted me, leaving me with my child and shame; but I have not forgotten you, and this boy whom you have just condemned is your son."

You may imagine the effect this announcement produced on the bystanders. The judge in a loud voice, ordered the woman to be carried from the court, and then left himself, but joined the poor creature in the street, and carried her and her boy off in a carriage.—*Ex.*

☞ The renowned Josh Billings, whose opinions on financial as well as moral and political matters are worthy of "awl konsiderashun," has prepared the "follerin explanashuns from original resipes" concerning the question of revenue:—

A—"Spirits of just men made perfect" don't cum within the whisky bill.

B—"Spirits of the damned" are constructed the same as damnable spirits, and must pay the highest whiskey rates.

C—Tax on "undressed poultry" doubled—the morals of the country seem to require it.

D—Bologna sassage, in part dorg and part red flannel, must pay the duty on flannels also.

E—Awl tabakker (unles the manufacturer diskriminates what is new and what is old chaws), is elevated 50 per cent.

F—Ministers of the gospel, who don't dew over $1,500 worth of business a year are exempt.

☞ A gentleman lately overheard the following conversation between a man and a woman who appeared as though they had just returned from a pleasure trip to some of the out of town resorts:

Woman—"Blow me, Bill, how tired I feel! I am as miserable, too, as a starved cat. What a miserable world this is! I wish I'd never been born, I wish myself dead again! Man—"Why, Bet, what's the matter with you now? What are you grumbling about?" Woman "Why, don't I tell yer I'm as miserable as a rat."—Man—"Miserable, indeed! Why, what on earth would yer have? You was drunk on Monday, and you was drunk again on Wednesday, and I'm blest if that isn't pretty near enough pleasure for yer, I don't know what is. I s'pose you wants to be a downright hangel here upon the earth!"

☞ A humerous old gentleman once fell in with an ignorant and rather impertinent minister, who proceeded to inform the former, in very positive terms, that he never would reach Heaven unless ne was born again, adding—"I have experienced that happy change, and now feel no anxiety."

"And have you really been born again?" said the old man, musingly.

"Yes, I have" was the reply.

"Well," said the old man, eyeing him attentively, "it may be all right, but—I don't think it would hurt you to be born once more!"

ANYTHING TO PRODUCE "CHANGE."—"This medicine," said Dr. Squills, "after having been taken a few days, will produce the change desired."

"What?" exclaimed the thunderstruck patient, "you don't say so, doctor?"

"It's a fact sir," said the doctor, "The science of medicine has now reached——"

"Well," said the patient, interrupting him, "it is wonderful! If you'd said 'postage stamps, doctor, I wouldn't have said anything; but the 'desired change,' doctor, it seems onpossible!"

The doctor had to take the patient in hand.

☞ Pat was employed at a furnace. He was ordered to take the two-wheeled cart with the oxen, and draw some iron to a particular spot and dump it. He brought the load to the place designed, and after gesticulating wildly to his meek oxen, exclaimed: "Rare up! rare up! ye bastes, and throw the load overboard."

☞ The coal fields of Pennsylvania have yielded on an average, two hundred and thirty thousand tons of coal per week for the last three months.

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1864.

Great Battle in Tennessee.

1,000 PRISONERS TAKEN.

Complete Rout of Rebel Forces.

IMPORTANT FROM NASHVILLE.

BATTLE MOMENTARILY EXPECTED.

FRANKLIN, Dec. 2.

To Major General Thomas:

The enemy made a heavy and persistent attack with two corps, commencing at four p. m. and lasting till after dark. He was repulsed at all points, with a heavy loss, probably of five or six hundred men. Our loss is probably not more than one-fourth of that number. We have captured about one thousand men, including one Brigadier General.

(Signed,) JNO. SCHOFIELD, Maj. Gen.

Parties who have arrived from the front, were witnesses to the battle of yesterday, and describe the attack of the rebel forces as desperate. Four charges were made upon the Federal line of masked batteries, in a body of four lines deep. Each time the rebels were repulsed with fearful loss.

The first is on the north bank of the river, opposite the town. Extending up the river, encircling the town, was the line of masked batteries

Eye witnesses say this engagement, in desperation and furious fighting, was hardly equalled by the battle of Stone River.

Forrest, in person, was in the field, rallying his men.

A rumor is in circulation that he was killed, but it lacks confirmation.

About seven o'clock last night, heavy reinforcements reached Schofield, which caused a complete route of the rebel forces.

The city, to-day, is full of fleeing residents of Williamson and other counties south. They state that Hood is gathering up all the horses, hogs and mules he can find, and sending them South. There is a great panic among the negroes in the counties south of Nashville. Numbers are flocking to the city for protection.

NASHVILLE, Dec, 1.

The Federal forces under Gen. Thomas retired from Franklin last night, and had taken position and formed in line of battle South of Nashville about three miles. Skirmishing has been going on all day about five miles South of here. Cannonading can be distinctly heard in the city. No want of confidence is felt by citizens in the ultimate success of the Federals. The employees of the Quartermasters Department are under arms and within the trenches. One hundred and seven Confederate officers, including one Brigadier General, and one thousand prisoners arrived in the city this morning, captured in the fight last night near Franklin, Tenn. A great battle may momentarily be expected.

The British North American Confederation.

The scheme of Confederation proposed for the British North American colonies was getting along finely until within a few days. There had been two convocations of delegates to consider the matter, and that which had last assembled adopted a form of constitution. The details of this instrument were under discussion in an amicable way, when some of the parties concerned allowed hints to drop that it was their intention to have it adopted *without a vote by the people*. The high pressure method of doing things which was adopted by the leaders of the Rebellion in the United States was the model for action, and the design was proclaimed of adopting the new Constitution, and making it the law of the land by the votes of the legislatures, the members of which were not chosen with any reference to this important matter, which has been sprung upon the people since the provincial elections. This method of overriding the will of the people is advocated seriously by some of the Canadian journals, one of which contends that "it is a "dreadful American heresy to contend that the "people should be consulted before such things "are done." This is high tory doctrine, and although the inhabitants of the British provinces have a horror of Yankee fashions, they are not so stupid as to consent to an arbitrary proceeding which would make slaves of them at the will of a very few persons. They insist upon their right to pronounce their opinions on the new Constitution. "The omnipotence of Parliament," a mischievous phrase, which has been frequently used to justify absolute wrong, does not deceive them into a submission to the project of changing their institutions without their own authority.—The British North American Parliaments or Assemblies are creatures of the Provincial Constitution, and they have no right to change the fundamental law which gives them authority, without an appeal to the primary source of power. There is already considerable excitement over the proposition, and, unless it is withdrawn, there will be trouble. The Canadians, particularly, are quarrelsome over the most innocent questions. Here is a bone of contention which would stimulate them into bitter controversy. Perhaps the attempt may be made to ride them down by the omnipotence of Parliament. If it is, there will be lively times among the Blue Noses, in which the native element of French descent will take an important part.

A WATCH WITH ONE WHEEL.—A watchmaker in San Francisco, named Otto Weiderow, has succeeded in producing a most ingenious piece of mechanism. He has invented and manufactured a watch that has only one wheel. This wheel, a mainspring, and a very little other machinery, is so arranged that the watch, when set going, winds itself up, and it will run two years. It would run forever, if the material would hold out, but the ingenious inventor says it is necessary to take it apart once in about two years for the purpose of cleaning and repairing the worn parts. It is certainly a very ingenious, yet a very simple and successful piece of work. Mr. Weiderew is also the inventor of a new sort of clock, with engine movement, the pendulum of which is on top, and works like the walking beam of a steamboat. One of these ingenious and simple clocks, with silver dial, gold plated, and gold hands, has been manufactured for exhibition at the Mechanics' Fair, in that city.

☞ The Shleswig-Holstein question, after a short but decisive war between Denmark and Germany, has been settled by Denmark ceding the three duchies of Shleswig, Holstein, and Lauenberg to the victors, and pays to the duchies a fixed sum (about eight and a half millions of rigsdalars,) for their claims to the common property of the former Danish monarchy. Shleswig and Holstein will be held by the Prussians and Austrians until the German Diet shall have decided the rival claims of the Grand Duke of Oldenburg to succession in the two duchies, and Denmark will also pay for the shipping captured and destroyed by her fleet. The big powers have nearly squelched the little one.

October Election—Vote of Pennsylvania.

The Harrisburg *Telegraph* gives the following, which, it says, may be regarded as the official vote of Pennsylvania, for Congressional Representatives, at the October election. In compiling this vote we had to be governed by the returns as made by the different Prothonotaries, and as the majority of these officials made no distinction in what was called the "home" and the "soldiers' vote," the aggregate of both votes only are given in the tabular statement below. In order to get the "home" and the "soldiers' vote," circulars have been issued from the State Department, requesting the different Prothonotaries to furnish statements of the polls in the camps containing Pennsylvania soldiers and in the different election districts throughout the State.

It is now conceded in official circles, says the *Telegraph*, that it will be impossible to ascertain correctly the result of the "home vote" at the October election, for the reason that many Prothonotaries failed to make the necessary distinction in their returns. This being the case, bets which were made on that result, can never be fairly decided. Indeed, we understand that in Philadelphia and elsewhere, all such bets are being withdrawn.

CONGRESSIONAL VOTE OF 1864.

Districts.	Un'n.	Dem.	Uni'n Maj.	Dem. Maj.
1st	7,742	9,764	.....	2,022
2d	11,767	7,290	4,477	.....
3d	11,467	9,992	1,475	.....
4th	13,088	9,344	3,744	.....
5th	11,007	10,729	278	.....
6th	9,661	12,847	.....	3,186
7th	10,908	7,231	3,677	.....
8th	5,971	12,076	.....	6,105
9th	11,804	7,344	4,460	.....
10th	10,679	11,154	.....	475
11th	6,393	13,016	.....	6,623
12th	10,058	10,573	.....	515
13th	9,724	8,723	1,001	.....
14th	11,619	11,092	527	.....
15th	10,576	13,382	.....	2,806
16th	11,242	11,174	68	.....
17th	9,225	8,716	509	.....
18th	11,533	10,681	852	.....
19th	11,631	9,914	1,717	.....
20th	14,314	10,976	3,338	.....
21st	10,730	10,855	.....	125
22d	11,233	7,013	4,220	.....
23d	11,882	8,124	3,758	.....
24th	11,727	10,112	1,615	.....
	255,981	242,122	35,716	21,857
			21,857	
Majority				13,859

Adventures of a Rebel Woman.

A letter from St. Louis to the Cincinnati *Commercial* narrates the adventures of a Rebel woman who has just been arrested by the Government detectives in Missouri. Her name is Kate Beattie, wife of the notorious guerilla chief, Buck Beattie, famous in the Southwest. She has been coming and going from and to the South, since the war commenced, and has conveyed large sums of gold from the Rebel lines, for the purpose of carrying on some of the Rebel plans for liberating prisoners, burning steamboats or Government warehouses.

Mrs. Beattie is a highly intelligent woman, not twenty years old, with light blue eyes, and light hair cropped close to her head. When arrested she wore a wig with luxurious black curls, which she shook over her head and shoulders with grace. She is the author of a book on slavery called "Woman's Fate," and is well known to and highly esteemed by the Rebel Generals in the Southwest. She is beautifully formed, and has a dash and *abandon* of manner well calculated to carry her through.

Major Enoch O. Wolf, Confederate States Army, was to have been shot on Friday last, in retaliation for the murder of Major Wilson, United States Volunteers, but proceedings were stayed by an order from the President, until he examined the case. On the night preceding the execution, however, and before the order countermanding it was published, Major-General Rosecrans received a message from "Mrs. Major Wolf," requesting an interview. This message was sent to Major-General Rosecrans' room at the Linden Hotel, and he replied that he would see the lady in the parlor. The interview took place, and the lady begged with tears and supplications for the life of her husband, Major Wolf.

General Rosecrans was about to tell her that he had received the President's respite, but his suspicions were aroused by the appearance and conduct of the woman, so he requested her to return to her room and he would attend to her case. She returned, making the halls echo with her wailings. In the meantime Acting Provost Marshal-General Colonel Joe Darr was informed of the Rebel major's wife, and he paid her a visit and took her parole not to leave the room at the hotel until next morning, when he promised her an interview with her husband.

She was next questioned as to her real name, &c., when she acknowledged that she was not Mrs. Major Wolf, but Mrs. Kate Beattie. She stated that she is the daughter of Mrs. Colonel Sharp, now in Europe, operating for the Confederacy; that her name was Miss Kate Brown; that she was educated in one of the first seminaries in Massachusetts, but acquired a love for the Catholic faith, and early became a convert. She wears a rich ebony cross, which she presses to her lips with fervor, and swears that she will die rather than reveal her purposes here, or the name of any of her accomplices.

She has a Treasury permit to purchase and send into the South six thousand dollars' worth of goods, and has purchased large quantities of military goods, gold lace, gilt buttons, stars, sashes, &c. Although she had plenty of money when making the purchases, none hardly was found among her effects, which include disguises of different kinds.

It has since been ascertained that Mrs. Beattie has been operating here very extensively as a Rebel agent and spy. She made her head-quarters at a fashionable Rebel milliner's on Fifth street, and, through her assistance, supplied Rebel ladies South with finery. The milliner is in one of the female military prisons here, and is awaiting trial before a military Commission.

A GREAT RAILROAD UNDERTAKING.—The work of tunneling the Alps for railroad purposes is so slow, compared with the necessities of internal trade and travel between France and Italy, that it is contemplated to build a railroad over the mountains on one of the military roads constructed by the first Napoleon. The tunnel will not be completed in less than twelve years, but the railroad can be built in two. When it is remembered that the summit of the pass through the mountains is seven thousand feet above the level of the sea, with gradients at some points of one in twelve, the descent equally rapid, the difficulties of the undertaking may be imagined. A locomotive expressly for such ascents and descents has been constructed. The railway will be covered with galleries of wood, iron and stone to protect it from avalanches and snow drifts. The project has been favorably received by the Italian government, and English capitalists propose to build it. It will shorten the overland route to India five hundred miles.

☞ A general order has been issued by Adjutant General RUSSEL, directed to the commissioners of the several cities and counties of the Commonwealth, ordering an immediate enrollment and classification of all able bodied white male citizens within their respective limits, liable to enrollment under the militia laws of the State. This order has been rendered necessary by reason of the failure to raise by volunteering that portion of the Pennsylvania State Guard ordered into service some three months since. The apprehended raids on our border by thieving bands of rebels require an immediate organization of the State Guard, and the enrollment will be commenced at once.

HOW TREASON AND IMBECILITY SHOULD BE PUNISHED.—The following extracts from Gen. Scott's personal memories, just published, are of special interest and applicability now:

Speaking of Aaron Burr's acquittal, he says: "This is to be regretted—not that the thirst for blood was not slaked on the occasion; but because there never having been an execution in the United States for the highest of crimes, our people were, in 1832 and 1861, still untaught a most needful lesson—that playing at treason is a dangerous game. Hence to threaten treason has become an ordinary party device in nominating Presidents, and in factious debates even on the floors of Congress; hence nullification in 1831-2, and hence the present (1863) mighty rebellion. It is a striking fact that three of our ex-Vice Presidents—Aaron Burr, J. C. Calhoun and J. C. Breckenridge—became each in his day a leader of treason."

Of the disasters to our arms in the beginning of the war of 1812, he writes:—"The patriot reader, stirred with indignation at the deplorable loss of national character, life and property sustained by Hull's surrender; the surprise of Chandler at Stony Creek; the capture of Boerstler at Beaver Dam; the abandonment of Fort George by McClure; the vacillation and helplessness of at least three Generals and many Colonels in the disaster at Chrystler's—will ask at every turn: What! Shall not fatuity, incapacity, ignorance, imbecility—call it as you may—in a commander—of whatever rank—be equally punished with cowardice, or giving aid and comfort to the enemy? Shall a dull man, who ascertains that he can get a little money in the army—not having the ability to earn his bread at home—and accordingly, obtains a commission—shall a coxcomb, who merely wants a splendid uniform to gratify his peacock vanity—be allowed unnecessarily to lose his men by hundreds, or by thousands, to surrender them in mass, or to cause them to be beaten by inferior numbers; shall such imbeciles escape ignominious punishment? In every such case humanity—as loudly as justice—calls for death."

AN AMERICAN LADY MARRIED TO A PRINCE.—The New York *Herald's* Paris correspondent writes: Another American lady has just been added to the list of those who have found husbands and titles in Europe. Miss Mary Lee, of New York city, was married at the American Minister's yesterday, to the Prince of Schleswig-Holstein, uncle of the Duke of Augustenberg. As the Prince belongs to a royal family he could not, with his royal title, contract other than a morganatic marriage with a commoner; so he renounces his title of Prince of Schleswig Holstein, and is married to Miss Lee in the most regular and legitimate manner, under the title of the Duke de Noer, which he holds from an Austrian estate.—He is very wealthy and accomplished, and is sixty five years of age, while the bride is only thirty.—On Wednesday the civil ceremony was performed at the Mairce. The marriage service was conducted yesterday at the Minister's by the Rev. Dr. Sunderland, pastor of the American chapel here; and to-morrow the third marriage will take place in the Lutheran church. Several American ladies have married titles in France. Two daughters of General Harney bear the title of Countess, and a daughter of Mr. James Phalen, of New York, some three years since, became the wife of the Vicomte de Gabriac.

EARTH NOT OUR ABIDING PLACE.—Bulwer eloquently says:—"I cannot believe that earth is man's abiding place. It can't be that our life is cast upon the ocean of eternity to float a moment upon its waves and then sink into nothingness! Else why is it that the glorious aspirations, which leap like angels from the temple of our heart, are forever wandering about unsatisfied? Why is it that the rainbow and clouds come ever with a beauty that is not of earth, and then pass off and leave us to muse upon their favored lovliness? Why is it that the stars, who hold their festival around the midnight throne, are set above the grasp of our human faculties, forever mocking us with their unapproachable glory? And, finally, why is it that bright forms of human beauty are presented to our view, and then taken from us, leaving the thousand streams of our affections to flow back like Alpine torrents upon our hearts? We are born for a higher destiny than that of earth; there is a realm where the rainbow never fades—where the stars will be spread before us like islands that slumber on the ocean—and where the beings that pass before us like shadows will stay in our presence forever.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. The partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, has been dissolved. Moses A. Cyphers and Samuel J. Fries having sold out to Louis Plack, and all persons will please take notice, that by the terms of the dissolution, all debts due and owing to said firm are assigned to Louis Plack and must be paid to him, and the business, henceforth will be carried on by Louis Plack.

LOUIS PLACK,
MOSES A. CYPHERS,
SAMUEL J. FRIES.

Altoona, Nov. 3d, 1864.

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This Snuff has thoroughly proved itself to be the best article known for curing the Catarrh, Cold in the Head and Headache. It has been found an excellent remedy in many cases of Sore Eyes. Deafness has been removed by it, and Hearing has been greatly improved by its use.

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to the dull heavy pains caused by diseases of the head. The sensations after using it are delightful and invigorating. It opens and purges out all obstructions, strengthens the glands, and gives a healthy action on the parts affected.

More than Thirty Years'

of sale and use of Dr. Marshall's Catarrh and Headache Snuff, has proved its great value for all the common diseases of the head, and at this moment it stands higher than ever before.

It is recommended by many of the best physicians and is used with great success and satisfaction everywhere.

Read the Certificates of Wholesale Druggists in 1854.

The undersigned, having for many years been acquainted with Dr. Marshall's Catarrh and Headache Snuff, and sold it in our wholesale trade, cheerfully state, that we believe it to be equal, in every respect, to the recommendations given of it for the cure of Catarrhal Affections, and that it is decidedly the best article we have ever known for all common diseases of the Head.

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FOR SALE—A valuable lot, situate in East Altoona. For further information inquire of June 9, '64.-tf. E. B. MCCRUM.

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The combination of ingredients in these Pills is the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and cannot do harm to the most delicate; certain in correcting all irregularities, Painful Menstruations, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, whites, all nervous affections, hysterics, fatigue, pain in the back and limbs, &c., disturbed sleep, which arise from interruption of nature.

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was the commencement of a new era in the treatment of irregularities and obstructions which have consigned so many to a PREMATURE GRAVE. No female can enjoy good health unless she is regular, and whenever an obstruction takes place the general health begins to decline. These Pills form *the finest preparation ever put forward* with IMMEDIATE and PERSISTENT SUCCESS. ☞ DON'T BE DECEIVED. ☞ Take this advertisement to your Druggist, and tell him that you want *the BEST and most RELIABLE FEMALE MEDICINE IN THE WORLD*, which is comprised in these Pills.

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have been a Standard Remedy for over thirty years, and are the most effectual one ever known for all complaints peculiar to *Females*. To all classes they are invaluable, *inducing, with certainty, periodical regularity*. They are known to thousands, who have used them at different periods, throughout the country, having the sanction of the most *eminent Physicians in America*.

Explicit directions, stating when they should not be used, with each Box—the *Price One Dollar per Box*, or 6 Boxes for $5, containing from 50 to 60 Pills.

Pills *sent by mail, promptly*, secure from observation, by remitting to the Proprietors. *SOLD BY DRUGGISTS GENERALLY.*

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81 Cedar St., New York.

Sold in Hollidaysburg by J. R. Patton. Sold in Tyrone by S. Berlin. Sold in Huntingdon by John Read. Sold in Altoona by all Druggists. Nov. 12, 1864—ly

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BIOKRENE, OR LIFE REJUVENATOR.

This preparation is unequalled as a Rejuvenator and and Restorer of wasted or inert functions.

The aged should be certain to make the Biokrene a household god, inasmuch as it will render them youthful in feeling and in strength, and enable them to live over again the days of their pristine joy. It not only exhilarates but strengthens, and is really an invaluable blessing, especially to those who have been reduced to a condition of servility, self abuse, misfortune, or primary sickness. No matter what the cause of the impotency of any human organ, this superb preparation will remove the effect at once and forever.

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Persons who, by imprudence, have lost their Natural Vigor, will find a speedy and permanent cure in the

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The Feeble, the Languid, the Dispairing, the Old should give this valuable discovery a trial; it will be found totally different from all other articles for the same purpose.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Anna Love, late of Logan township, Blair county, dec'd., have been granted to the undersigned, residing in Altoona. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present the same without delay, duly authenticated for settlement.

JACOB RINK, Administrator.
Nov. 12. 1864—6t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Isabella Glasgow, late of Logan Township, Blair county, dec'd., have been granted to the undersigned, residing as aforesaid. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims will present the same without delay, duly authenticated for settlement.

PETER EMPFIELD, *Adm'r.*
Nov. 12th, 1864—6t.

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THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INform the public that he has just received his stock of Fall and Winter Goods, embracing everything in the line of

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of all qualities and at prices which defy competition. The following embrace a few of the many articles:

Overcoats, from $6.00 to $10.00 | Vests, from $1.50 to $3.00
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His goods have been selected, by himself, from the most Fashionable Merchant Tailors of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, and it is with feeling of satisfaction that he can offer their productions to that class of customers who stand in need of Fashionable Clothing, and at prices that cannot be disputed.

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Fine Cloth and Cassimere Coats, all qualities and prices.
" Satinett " " " "
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The public are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels satisfied that he can please them in every particular.

Altoona, Nov. 12th 1864.-tf.

S. M. WOODKOK. E. J. OSBORNE.

WOODKOK & OSBORNE,

Attorneys at Law & Military Agents,

WILL attend promptly to all legal business entrusted to their care, in Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon counties.

Collections for firms in the Eastern cities will receive special attention, and remittances be promptly made.

Bounty, Pensions and arrears of pay due from the U. S. will be collected in the shortest possible time.

Office in Altoona, 2 doors South of Post Office.
Office in Hollidaysburg, 1 door West of Court House.
Sept. 24, 1864.-tf

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and accounts are in the hands of Susan McMullen who will attend to the settlement of the business.

SUSAN MCMULLEN,
Oct. 29, 1864. ELIZABETH MCMULLEN.

The business will be continued by me at the old stand, corner of Virginia and Julia streets.

Oct. 29, 1864-3t. SUSAN MCMULLEN

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The very best and finest

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such as TURKISH, VIRGINIA, KNETNIG, and LYNCHBURG. Fine fancy papers, with a large assortment of German Tobacco. Cut and Dry by the pound. All kinds of SNUFF.

Also a large assortment of the

FINEST PIPES.

Meerschaum, Sweet Briar, and India Rubber, Double Tube Pipes, and German China. Also, all kinds of

FANCY GOODS,

such as Pocket Books, Tobacco Pouches, Cigar Cases, Cigar Holders, Snuff Boxes, and everything in their line.

Come and see for yourselves. We are able to sell at low prices, for the reason that we bought our Tobacco before the great rise in the price of that article in the cities. We are determined to sell cheaper than any other tobacconist in the town. Our store is the largest of the kind ever opened in the town.

GEORGE BRUNNER & CO.

Altoona, Sept. 17, 1864—3m.

READ CAREFULLY!

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO THE PUBLIC.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY YOUR SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

THE largest stock of Ladies' Dress Goods ever brought to town has just been opened at the "Green Corner," East Altoona, and will be sold for CASH at prices that defy competition. We are determined that our side of town shall take the lead, and that the "Green Corner" shall be foremost in the van. Our stock of Dress Goods consists of

Plain and Fancy Dress Silks, Merinoes, Palmetto Cloths, Coburgs, Fancy Alpacas, All-Wool Plaids, Plain and Figured Delaines,

Fancy Prints, and a great variety of other goods, of different styles and textures. In fact there is nothing the ladies can desire for wear that we cannot furnish them with.—We have also a large assortment of

Ladies' Coats, Shawls, Balmorals, Hoop Skirts, Shoes, Gaiters &c.

☞ Yes, and we were almost forgetting to mention our large stock of

CARPETS, GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, ETC., ETC.

Everybody should know that money can be saved by buying Goods from us. For instance, we are selling good Calicoes as low as 16cts per yard. Muslins as low as 18 cts., Brown Sugar for 11 cts. per lb., and good Teas for 50 cts. Altoona, April 8, '64. tf JOHN J. MURPHY & CO.

JOHN HICKEY,

CABINET-MAKER AND

UNDERTAKER.

HAVING PURCHASED THE INterest of Mr. Cherry in the late firm of Hickey & Cherry, I would respectfully inform the public I intend to continue the business, in the new Cabinet Shop and Furniture Ware-room, on

JULIA STREET, OPPOSITE EPISCOPAL CHURCH,

East Altoona, where I will be happy to fill all orders in my line. I have on hand a good supply of Furniture just from Philadelphia, which I offer at the lowest prices for cash.

I keep a hearse, and am prepared at all times to attend promptly to orders in Undertaking.

I will always keep on hand a good assortment of METALLIC COFFINS.

Altoona, Nov. 5th 1864—3m*

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON.

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that his CONFECTIONERY, NUT and FRUIT STORE, is always supplied with the very best articles to be had, and in great variety.

FRESH OYSTERS

of the very best quality, always to be had.

FRESH-BAKED

BREAD, CAKES, & PIES,

always on hand, at reasonable rates.

He is at all times prepared to supply cakes, candies, &c., for pic-nics and other parties. He invites a share of public patronage, believing that he can render full satisfaction o all.

Remember, his store and saloon is on Virginia street, two doors below Patton's Hall. OTTO ROSSI.
Altoona, April 8, 1863-tf.

JACOB WEIS,

BAKER AND CONFECTIONER,

VIRGINIA STREET, ALTOONA, PA.,

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND BREAD, CAKES, CANDIES AND SWEETMEATS, of his own manufacture, which he is prepared to sell, wholesale or retail, at the most reasonable prices. Also, FOREIGN FRUITS, such as

ORANGES, LEMONS, PINE-APPLES, FIGS, PRUNES, RAISINS, NUTS, &C., &C., always on hand in their respective seasons.

OYSTERS,

of the best quality during the season.

CAKES BAKED TO ORDER,

for particular occasions, on short notice and in the neatest and best style of the art.

Call, examine and price my stock and you will find it as good and cheap as can be purchased elsewhere.
Jan. 27, 1863.

H. FETTINGER'S

General News Agency,

OAK HALL, No. 7, MAIN STREET

SCHOOL BOOKS, BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY, CONFECTIONARIES CIGARS & TOBACCO, TOYS AND NOTIONS IN GREAT VARIETY

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
October 24, 1861.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL DRUGGIST, respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he still continues the Drug business, on Virginia street, where he keeps constantly on hand, for sale: Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISHES and DYE-STUFFS.

By strict attention to business, and a desire to render satisfaction to all as regards price and quality, he hopes t merit and receive a share of public patronage.

Physicians' and Personal prescriptions supplied on reasonable terms and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded. [1-tf.

J. G. ADLUM,

Notary Public,

ALTOONA, BLAIR CO., PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman. October 1, 1857.

MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—The winter term of the MEMORIAL SCHOOL, adjoining the Episcopal Church, East Altoona, will open on MONDAY next, Oct. 3d, and continued the usual period, as heretofore.
Oct. 1, 1864. MARY E. STEWART.

WANTED.—Three Blacksmiths to learn Axe-Making, and SIX OR MORE MEN as Helpers, are wanted immediately at Mann's Axe Factory, near Lewistown. Blacksmiths can realize from $2.50 to $3, and Helpers from $2 to $2.50. Oct. 1, 1864.

HELMBOLD'S GENUINE BUCHU and Dandelion's Plantation Bitters, at June 23, '64] REIGART'S Drug Store.

4 BARRELS PURE WHITE LARD just received and for sale at FRITCHEY'S

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF OVERCOATS can be found at LAUGHMAN'S

UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS, in endless variety, at LAUGHMAN'S. Altoona, May 1, 1862.

Valuable Real Estate AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS, AT Private Sale, all his real estate, situate as follows:—

NO. 1.

A Farm in Logan township, Blair county, adjoining lands of Elias Baker, James Hutchison, John Wyke and others, about one and a half miles from Altoona, containing

137 ACRES,

120 acres of which are cleared, under good fence and in a high state of cultivation, and the balance well timbered with white oak and Hickory. About 20 acres of the cleared land is meadow of the best quality. There is an orchard of excellent fruit. The improvements are

LOG-FRAME WEATHER-BOARDED HOUSE,

with Kitchen, Wash-house, Wood-house, Smoke-house and Pump-house all under one roof, and very convenient.

A BANK BARN,

50x50 feet, with wagon-shed, corn-crib, Ice-house and all other necessary outbuildings, making it altogether one of the best fitted up farms in the country. It is well calculated for a dairy and has been fitted up for the purpose.

This farm will readily rent at a price which will bring ten per cent. on the investment.

NO. 2.

A house and one-fourth of an acre of ground situate in Loudonsville, adjoining Altoona. The House is double plank, containing seven rooms. On the lot are a Slaughter-house, Hide-house, Stable, Wagon-shed, and all the buildings and improvements required about a butchery.

NO. 3.

A Two-story Brick House and half lot of ground, situate on Virginia street, Altoona. The House contains three rooms and hall, on first floor, and four rooms on second floor. It is in a desirable part of the town.

NO. 4.

A House and half acre of ground, situate in Loudonsville, near White Hall Hotel. The House is a two-story frame. The lot is well set with choice fruit trees.

NO. 5.

A House and half lot of ground, situate on Rebecca street, East Altoona. The House is two-story frame with two rooms on first floor and three on second floor.

All the above properties now rent at a price which brings ten per cent. on my valuation.

Bargains may be had in all of these properties, as extended time will be given in which to make payments. My object in disposing of all my property in this vicinity is to remove to the West, and I do not wish the trouble of looking after affairs so far from home, or to have property where I cannot see to its care. For these reasons I will give bargains in the above.

C. B. SINK.
Altoona Oct. 29th—tf.

Insurance Co. of N. America,

PHILADELPHIA.

INCORPORATED IN 1794. CHARTER PERPETUAL.

CAPITAL AND ASSETS OVER $1,600,000

INSURANCE MADE ON BUILDings, Merchandize, Furniture and Personal Property generally, on liberal terms, for short or long periods.

Especial attention paid to Dwellings and Contents, and Farm Property. Brick or Stone Dwellings taken perpetually on very reasonable terms to the insured.

Losses equitably adjusted and promptly paid.

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Offices in Altoona and Hollidaysburg. [Oct. 15, '64-1y.

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Pictures taken in all kinds of Weather.

NEW STYLES OF CASES.

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CHARLES J. MANN,

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WOODEN WARE, BROOMS, WINDOW SHADES, DOOR MATS, UPHOLSTERING GOODS, SHOE FINDINGS, COFFIN TRIMMINGS, MOULDERS' TOOLS, BIRD CAGES AND WIRE GOODS, WINDOW GLASS, PUTTY, WHITE LEAD, &C., &C.

☞ Every description of Goods in his line will be furnished at short notice, and at low rates for cash.

His remaining stock of DRY GOODS on hand will be closed out at remarkably low prices, in order to relinquish that branch of the business.

Agent for Willson's "Telegraph Fodder Cutter."
Altoona, May 29th, 1862.

THE

Altoona Academy

WILL BE OPENED ON

Wednesday, Oct. 12, 1864,

FOR THE TERM OF

FIVE MONTHS.

☞ All the branches usually taught in such Institutions will be taught in this.

REV. M. C. WILSON, Principal.
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LOUIS PLACK,
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...DYS' COATS, of every
...good quality, at
LAUGHMAN'S.
...ASSORTMENT OF
...and Clothes Brushes, Combs,
LAUGHMAN'S.
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LAUGHMAN'S.
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...A BUILDING LOT
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W. S. BITTNER.
...ED—A Lot of Prime
...REIGART'S Drug Store.
...NCY VESTS, of every
LAUGHMAN'S.

Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

A DASTARDLY OUTRAGE AND ROBBERY.—The residents of Sinking Valley, in Blair county, were thrown into a considerable state of terror and excitement during the week before last by the accounts of a glaring outrage perpetrated there, the particulars of which we are enabled to present our readers. They are as follows: An individual, the description of whose appearance we could not learn, came in the morning to the residence of Mr. John Crawford, in the valley, and desired to purchase some stock; but being told by the housekeeper that Mr. C. was away, and that she could not comply with his request, the man took his departure, satisfied, no doubt, that he had gleaned so much information. In the afternoon about 3 o'clock, the same person renewed his visit, and it was believed, from the continual barking of dogs upon the premises, that he had loitered about the dwelling from the time of his first appearance. This time, with bold effrontery, he made known his object, and demanded of the housekeeper a purse belonging to Mr. Crawford. The woman, surprised at the impudence of the audacious rascal, and thinking that by her own unaided power she could not eject him from the house, had recourse to strategy, and informed him she would go and get the purse, but at the same time intending to ring a bell upon the premises, and thereby alarm the neighbors, and obtain their assistance in capturing the villain. She thereupon started, but the wary rogue, suspecting treachery, immediately chased and caught her; she endeavored to her utmost to elude his grasp, and struggled vigorously to prevent him from tying her with a cord he had succeeded in obtaining. But all to no purpose; the inhuman scoundrel effectually tied her hands, and then cast her into a closet the door of which he closed and fastened upon her. He then went in search of the purse and other valuables in the rooms of the dwelling, having free scope and liberty to effect his nefarious intentions. He obtained the purse, which, fortunately, contained but an insignificant sum, and then struck for other quarters, leaving the housekeeper still confined in the close closet. From this confinement she was released by Mr. Crawford's daughter, who had returned from school. So tightly had the villain bound her wrists, that the marks were visible several days after the event.

ANOTHER ROBBERY.—During the same week and in the same Valley, the house of Mr. Smith Wilson was entered after night, and a trunk taken therefrom. The depredator conveyed the same to an adjoining field, where he opened it and extracted the sum of $300 in specie, as also other valuables, to the amount of $2500.

We have no room to comment upon these outrages, but we would caution the residents of the Valley, as also of all other places, to keep a strict and vigilant watch upon the actions of any suspicious individuals who might chance to come in their way. We have much to dread from rebel spies as well as robbers, who now prowl the country. Should the individual guilty of the above robberies be apprehended and arrested, we trust he will suffer punishment to the full extent of the law, and his example prove a significant warning to his brethren in crime.—*Huntingdon Globe.*

TERRIBLE DEATH OF U. J. JONES.—We are sorry to chronicle the sudden and terrible death of U. J. Jones, a life long member of the reportorial and editorial fraternity, and a practical printer, which occurred at Harrisburg on the evening of the 18th ult. It appears that he was on the track of the Northern Central Railroad, in the vicinity of the Depot, and was knocked down and run over by a passenger train which was backing over from the south side of the river. No one saw the occurrence, and his body was only discovered by the engineer; while oiling his engine, who stumbled over his feet, which protruded from under the cow-catcher. His body was much bruised, his arms broken, and a hole, similar to that made by a spike, was found in his forehead. He was taken to a room in the Depot, and an inquest held over him. The deceased was about forty-five years of age. For a number of years he was connected with his brother-in-law, O. A. Traugh, in the publication of the Hollidaysburg *Standard*, and was the author of that popular and valuable work entitled "Jones' History of the Juniata Valley." He also compiled and published the best descriptive hand-book of the route of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad that has ever been issued. For several years past he has been connected with the Harrisburg *Patriot and Union* as local editor, or been employed as a reporter in the House of Representatives. His productions always displayed a clear and brilliant intellect, and his services were ever in demand. He leaves a wife and four children.

THE CONCERT.—The Philharmonic concert, in the Lutheran church, on Thanksgiving evening, was all, and more, than we promised our readers it would be. It was the grandest entertainment of the kind ever given in this place, or in any other place outside of the cities, and it has only been excelled in the cities by reason of greater numbers in the society and more appropriate buildings in which to give the entertainment. There are just as good voices in the country as there are in the city, and equal musical talent, and all that is necessary to get up entertainments in the country which will equal those of the cities is a union of the voices and talent, and practice. This union and practice is the object of the Philharmonic society, and the benefit is seen and duly appreciated. The church was filled to repletion with a highly delighted audience. The expressions of satisfaction were many and flattering. We are pleased to announce that the society intend giving another concert on Monday evening, Dec. 22d, in aid of the "Soldiers' Monument Fund."

APOLOGY.—Unfortunately, our principal newspaper compositor, mistaking Thanksgiving day for the Fourth of July, took on a heavy load of brick, and having indulged too freely in tangle-leg tansey tea, was unable to carry the load and work for us at the same time. Being crowded with job work, we could not spare a hand from that department, and hence were forced to forego the issuing of a paper last week. We have, at other times, been somewhat inconvenienced by the effect of King Alcohol, on those upon whom we depended, but never before have we been forced thereby to miss the publication of our paper, and we shall try to avoid delays from the same cause hereafter.

DRAFT.—A supplementary draft for those townships in this county deficient on former quotas was made on the 22d ult, at the Provost Marshal's Office. The draft is for 100 per cent, in addition to the number required to make up for exemptions, &c.

LOGAN TOWNSHIP.

36 Required—72 Drawn.

Matthew Dickson	A M Lindsey
James Summers	Samuel A Short
Matthew Solesby	John Ritts
Elias B. Collier	David Hutchinson
Morris Crolty	James Martin
Patrick Tiernan	Levi Genniger
Henry N Anderson	Jeremiah M Green
Francis Dumphrey	William Galbraith
Philip E Dietrict	Anthony Stullman
Jacob Murry	Bernard O Connor
Joseph Foglo	Daniel Hemshier
John Cantner	Eewroy Hilt
Peter M Smith	George Potts
William Blakely	Patrick Kelly
Mathias Mandle	Maxwell M Gwin
Francis Flough	Miles Nash
William Y Anderson	James Knox
George Freister	Tobias Wertz
F W Myers	Samuel Hooven
George Love	Franklin Nichols
Joseph Graham	John Dolton
Ira Rhine	Herbert Townsend
Johnston England	Alexander Rhodes
Stephen Aikers	Leonard Horner
Abram Bear	Martin Riling
Isaac Lantz	Olman Maryetta
Henry Shots	John Lantz
Thomas Brannan	James H Burket
George W Metzgar	William Rodenizer
Samuel Caldwell	Owen Rowrich
Amandus G Sink	James Riley
Mark McLaughlin	James Kelly
George Lockhard	Wm Walton (colored)
Thomas Powers	John Womer
Chrst Glass	E S Peight
William S Yon	Wm H Beals

ALLEGHENY TP.

5 Required—10 Drawn.

Ulias Selvage	George W London
Alexander Clark	Albert Robeson
James Owens	Moses Crum
Thomas W Simonton	John Glunt
Edward Fleck	William McGraw

JUNIATY TP.

6 Required—12 Drawn

James Freese	Philip Harnster
John Beegle	Frank McCoy
Isaac Cames	Thomas Butler
Jacob Mash	Able Davis
Frederick Wilt	Michael Mover
James McIntosh	James Wyent

SNYDER TP.

9 Required—18 Drawn.

John Boyer	John Stonebraker
Henry Garland	Henry Burket
E W Thompson	William Hunter
William McAteer	Valentine Rough
David Gales	Jesse A Corpin
Thomas Lago	John Rhinehart
Curtis Hart	Josiah Moore
James Ginter	Solomon Zerbe
James Dickson	Benjamin Crain

THROUGH TO LOCK HAVEN.—The Bald Eagle Valley Railroad, from Tyrone to Lock Haven, connecting the Pennsylvania Central and Philadelphia & Erie Railroads was opened through, from Bellefonte to Lock Haven, on Thursday last, and trains are now about to be run regularly over the route. This road is about seventy miles in length, and forms an important connection between different portions of the State, and between the East and West. One important consideration to this locality is that we are now as contiguous to the anthricite coal regions as the citizens of Harrisburg, and we shall hereafter be able to get this quality of coal at the same figure asked for it at that market, thereby saving the freight from that point to this, as well as the dealers per centage. We understand that it can now be delivered at Tyrone at the rate of $10 per ton—the Harrisburg price We hope that a supply of the "black diamonds" from the anthracite regions may soon find their way over the new route, as $15 per ton is a little too steep.

ABUNDANT.—We learn from hunters, who have been in the woods hereabouts several times this fall, that deer have not been more numerous for several years, in fact, not since the location of this town. They are all in fine condition. Some of the heaviest we have ever heard of have been killed this season. Old hunters say that there are deer now in this locality which do not belong here, being larger and the bucks having different shaped antlers from those usually found on these mountains. It is supposed that they have came hither, either from New York State, or from the mountains of Virginia. Almost every train from the East brings hunters to the mountains, but we doubt whether all of them get sufficient venison to compensate them for their loss of time, railroad fare and destruction of shoe leather.

PETTY THIEVING.—Our town appears to be plentifully supplied, at this time, with petty thieves, who will appropriate anything, from a loaf of bread up to a quarter of beef. A week or two since, some scamp entered the chicken coop of Esquire Humes and appropriated about a dozen chickens. On Thanksgiving evening, the same, or another scamp, entered the cellar of Rev. Curry, while the family were at the Philharmonic Concert, and appropriated the largest portion of a quarter of beef which he had cut up and prepared for salting. In another case, a tub full of clothes were removed, without authority, from the back door of a resident of the North Ward. They have not yet been returned. It would be well for our citizens to put all things, which they wish to keep, under lock and key, otherwise they may not be on hand when wanted.

☞ So fashionable has it become to wear furs that the ladies do not consider themselves dressed unless they can top off with a set of "Fitch" or "Sable." We like the fashion. It looks comfortable on a cold day, and is certainly conducive to health. With high-heeled and thick soled shoes (the most sensible ladies' fashion ever adopted) and a set of furs, a lady looks like a woman on the streets. By the way, Dan Laughman has just received the finest and largest assortment of furs ever brought to the town, embracing capes, collars, wrist furs, muffs, &c., for ladies and misses. Just call at his store, next door to the Post office, and view his stock. He will sell you a set at the right figure.

THE COMING FAIR.—Wednesday, 8th day of December, has been fixed upon for the opening of the Fair in aid of St. John's (Catholic) Church, of this place, and the unparalleled success the ladies engaged in the enterprise have met with in securing valuable and beautiful articles for exhibition and sale, leads us to believe that there will be nothing wanting to render the Fair a really delightful and attractive entertainment. It will be much greater in display and more elaborate in attraction than the last one, and we expect will meet with the encouragement it deserves.

PROV'T MARSHAL'S OFFICE, 17TH DIS'T PA.
Hollidaysburg, Nov. 18th, 1864.

Notice is hereby given that from this day forward, the 13th Section of the Enrollment Act will be rigidly enforced. Any person drafted and wishing to put in a substitute, must do so on or before the day fixed for his appearance.

The privilege of putting in a substitute expires with that day, and if on hearing his claim for exemption he is held to be liable, he cannot escape personal service.

A. M. LLOYD.
Capt. and Prov't Marshal 17th Dis't Pa.

☞ The Return Judges met at the Court House last Friday, and counted the soldier vote cast at the Presidential election. The result was as follows:—Lincoln, 465; McClellan, 190.—Total army vote, 655. The aggregate vote of the county stands:

Lincoln,	3,292
McClellan,	2,687
Lincoln's majority,	606

THANK YOU, JAKE.—Our hugely-proportioned "Deitcher freund," Jake Holtzman, has our most unqualified thanks for a pair of large and delicious fresh fish, samples of the kind he keeps constantly for sale at his fish, oyster, vegetable and variety depot, Annie street, below the Post Office. May the generous donor's ample shadow never grow less. A few more *scaley* tricks like that will find us at any time willing to be victimised.

☞ The office of the treasurer of Huntingdon county was burglariously entered one night recently, and the safe charged with powder and blown open. Court being in session, the burglars doubtless expected to make a large haul of greenbacks, but they realized only some fifteen or twenty dollars for their time and trouble.

THANKSGIVING.—The day was generally observed by our citizens in the suspension of business of all kinds and the opening of several of the churches for services appropriate to the occasion.

List of Letters remaining uncalled for in P. O. Altoona, Pa, Dec. 1st. 1864.

Allison, D	Higgins, Sarah
Aule, J B	Howard, James L
Arnold, Job N	Hartle, Susan
Allison, Mary J	Heincher, Geo
Burley, Benbard 2	Hamilton & Bro
Brown, Albert	House, John
Brown, Thomas	Hollowell, Robt
Brown, Joshua	Jones, Susan C
Bark, John S	Kacy, Mary Ann
Bones, Emanuel	Kounsman, Jacob
Boyer, Sophia	Kerne, Peter
Black, John	Karus, John
Bailey, J E	Leslie, Robt
Bloomer, Charles	Lacy, A C
Brady, Elizabeth	Levingston, J J
Carman, G P	Lyon, J G
Caughling, Chas	Lincks, Jacob
Cooper, Alex	Metsker, Sarah
Clare, John S	Mason, Joseph
Cress, Wm	Maur, Catharine
Campbell, Margaret	Maloney, W
Cherry, Elizabeth	Murry, Maggie
Crum, Matilda	Mennough, G W
Cooper, S W	Moore, Geo
Collins, C	Moore, Annie K
Donehue, C E	Michaels, H D
Davis, G	Moyers, Miss Zillie
Dashea, Susan	Miles, J
Davis, Martin	Miller, Annie R
Delany, Pat	Mendenhall, C H
Davis, Hannaniah	McCune, Miss Mary
Fries, S L	McNamany, W
Free, G H 2	McDole, Eliza
Falter, Jacob	McOrdner, Ben
Fisher, M	Potter, Eliza
Flowers, Margaret	Rogger, Simon
Flynn & Flanders,	Reese, W T
Fries, S R	Stoever, Sarah
Flynn & Bro's	Stewart, Alex
Ginnis, John M	Steven, Howard
Greene, Miss Jane	Sinclan, Minnie
Graham, H R	Smith, G W
Goodwin, Leonard 2	Smith, Wm
Gwin, J A	Spunner, J C
Griffin, Edward	Slocum, N J
Gilling, Hattie	Steiling, W C
Grant, Margaret	Smith, Lizzie R
Glace, Isaac	Thorn, Lucy
Gabriel, Wm	Toebott, David
Heie, Michael	Taylor, A H
Hauk, A A	Townson, Mary
Harris, John	Towner, G W
Horn, Thaddeus	Theron, Miss
Horn, J H	Vincent, Susan
Haritty, Wm	Worley, Sarah
Henry, Ellen	Wilson, Geo A

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Oct. 29, 1864—1y

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Nov. 19. '64.-1y.

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Baltimore	"	"	7.55 "	"	8.15 "
Philadel'a	"	"	8.50 "	"	9.15 "
Mail Train		"	7.40 P. M.	"	7.53 P. M.
East Line		"	8.50 "	"	9.10 "
Emigrant Train		"	3.40 "	"	3.40 "

EASTWARD.

Fast Mail Train	arrives	7.50 A. M.,	leaves	8.10 A.M.
Harrisb'g Accommodation	"	12.15 P.M.,	"	12.30 P.M.
Pittsburgh & Erie Express	"	6.00 "	"	6.20 "
Philadelphia	"	9.20 "	"	9.40 "
Fast Line		"	2.35 A. M.,	"	2.40 A.M.

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ALTOONA, Nov. 12th, 1864.

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Pittsburgh, (through,)	7.50, "
Hollidaysburgh,	7.35, A.M. & 6.50, P.M.
Western Way,	12.15, A.M.
Eastern Way,	7.40, P.M.

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Western Way and through,	6.30, "
Hollidaysburgh,	7.30 A. M. & 7.40, P. M.
Western, through,	7.30 "
Eastern, through,	6.30, "

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Dec. 3d, 1864-1m.

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I remain yours truly,
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No. 19 James Street, Allegheny City.

ALLEGHENY, May 3d, 1864.

MR. A. JOHNSON:—*Dear Sir*: My wife was taken bad with inflammatary Rheumatism in March last. She was very much swollen and the pain she suffered was severe; she was confined to her bed. I was advised to try your Rheumatic Compound and Blood Purifier, so I got a bottle of it, and before the half of it was used she was entirely well. The cure is a perfect one; I never saw such medicine. She had only taken three doses of it till the swelling and pain began to abate. All your medicine wants is to be known in order to give it success.

Yours affectionately, JAMES McALISTER.

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PITTSBURGH, April 19th, 1864.

CANONSBURGH, WASHINGTON CO., April 12th, 1864.

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PITTSBURGH, April 11th, 1864. Ryan's Court.

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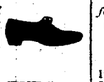

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March 21, 1861-tf.

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AS STATED AT THE OPENING of the

Union Store,

the object of the company is not to undersell other storekeepers in a few articles and make it up on others, but simply to sell every article at a certain percentage above cost, let that percentage bring the price above or below that of other stores. By selling

FOR CASH ONLY,

we are enabled to place our percentage at the very lowest figure, because we have no loss to make up.

We shall at all times keep the best quality of all articles offered for sale. Our present stock consists a of choice selection of

SUGAR, COFFEE, TEA, SYRUPS, SPICES

and everything in the grocery line

The best brands of Flour from the Phœnix, Mount Union and other Mills.

SUGARS.

Pulverized 18 cts., White 17 cts., Yellow and Brown very fine.

Imperial and Black Teas from 85 cts., to 1.50 per lb.

COFFEE.

Williamsport Rio, Franklin Mills Rio, Nonpareil Rio Excelsior, Dandelion, Essence, Browned Rye.

Spices of all kinds, Chocolate and Cocoa.

Soda, Cream Case, Ground Allum and Dairy Salt.

Navy, Lynn, Flounder, Congress, Natural leaf and Solace Chewing Tobacco, also a good selection of Smoking Tobacco, and Cigars.

Franklin and Lovering's Sugar House and other Syrups, Bunch Raisons 30 cts. Seedless Raisons 25 cts., per lb. Corn Starch.

Carbon Oil 65 cts. per gallon. Candles.

SOAPS

Rosin, German, French Castile, American Castile, Saw er's and other Toilet Soaps.

CRACKERS.

Cream, Wine, Sugar, Butter, Soda and Water Crackers. Ferina Biscuit.

WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE.

Brooms, Hand, Dust, Scrub and Shoe Brushes.

We would call special attention to our Boots and Shoes as our stock is fresh and selected with great care as to quality. MANAGERS.

Dec. 23, 1863.

EMPORIUM OF FASHION!!

Virginia St., Altoona, Pa.

D. W. A. BELFORD, Proprietor.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EMPORIUM OF FASHION" would respectfully announce to the public that he has received a large invoice of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS,

and a general assortment of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Collars, Neck-Ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c., &c.,

exactly suited to this locality and intended for the

SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE.

The proprietor of the Emporium invites an examination of his stock, feeling confident that his shelves present a greater variety of plain and fancy goods than can be found elsewhere in the country. An examination will convince any one of this fact.

He has also received the

LATEST FASHION,

and being a perfect "Cutter," he has no hesitancy in saying that he can make up clothing in the fashion, and in a manner that can not fail to prove satisfactory. It has passed into a proverb that

Belford's the very man that can make,
Clothes in the fashion, strong and cheap
All that have ever tried him yet,
Say that he really can't be beat.

Remember the place, Virginia street, first door above Jaggard's Hall, Altoona, Pa. [April 17, '62.

Manhood: how Lost, how Restored.

Just published, a new edition of DR. CULVERWELL'S CELEBRATED ESSAY on the *radical cure* (without medicine) of SPERMATORHŒA, or seminal Weakness, Involuntary Seminal Losses, IMPOTENCY, Mental and Physical incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, etc.; also, CONSUMPTION, EPILEPSY, and FITS, induced by self indulgence or sexual extravagance.

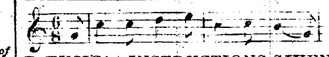
Price, in a sealed evelope, only 6 cents.

The celebrated author in this admirable essay clearly demonstrates, from a thirty years successful practice, that the alarming consequences of self-abuse may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicine or the application of the knife—pointing out a mode of cure, at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately, and *radically*.

This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

Sent under seal, in a plain envelope to any address, *post paid*, on receipt of six cents or two post stamps.—Address the publishers.

CHAS. J. C. KLINE & CO.,
127 Bowery, New York, Post office box 4586
July 13, 1864.



MUSIC!—INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN on the Piano-Forte and Melodeon, by Miss M. SHOEMAKER. TERMS, $10 per quarter. No charge for the use of the Instrument. Residence on Catharine Street, West Altoona. [Jan. 16, 1862.-tf.

WM. S. BITTNER
Dental Surgeon.

OFFICE IN MASONIC TEMPLE, next door to the Post Office.

TEAS! TEAS! TEAS!—FRITCHEY is selling Teas superior to any ever offered in Altoona. They are free of adulteration, coloring, or mixture of any kind.

BOSTON CRACKERS—A LARGE supply of these delicious crackers just received and for sale by FRITCHEY

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF Gent's Model Improved SHIRTS—Cassimere and Muslin Shirts—fine and coarse—white and colored—at LAUGHMAN'S.

PINE AND LARD OILS, CAMphene, Burning Fluid, Carbon Oil, &c., at Jan. 3, '56-tf] KESSLER'S.

EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR, FROM the Cove, always on hand and for sale as low as the lowest by FRITCHEY

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be recieved for Coupon Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug. 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum,—principle and interest both to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible, at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent. gold bearing bonds, payable not less than five nor more than twenty years from their date, as the Government may elect. They will be issued in denominations of $50, $100, $500, $1,000, and $5,000, and all subscriptions must be fifty dollars or some multiple of fifty dollars.

The notes will be transmitted to the owners free of transportation charges as soon after the receipt of the original Certificates of Deposit as they can be prepared.

As the notes draw interest from August 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from the date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any time will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent., which will be paid by the Treasury Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified to by the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deductions for commissions must be made from the deposit.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES OF THIS LOAN.

IT IS A NATIONAL SAVINGS BANK, offering a higher rate of interest than any other, and *the best security*. Any savings bank which pays its deposits in U. S. Notes, considers that it is paying in the best circulating medium of the country, and it *cannot* pay in anything better, for its own assets are either in government securities or in notes or bonds payable in government paper.

It is equally convenient as a temporary or permanent investment. The notes can always be sold for within a fraction of their face and accumulated interest, and are the best security with banks as collaterals for discounts.

Convertible into a Six per cent. 5-20 Gold Bond

In addition to the very liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the currant rate for 5-20 Bonds is not less than *nine per cent. premium*, and before the war the premium on six per cent. U. S. Stocks was over twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan, at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

ITS EXEMPTION FROM STATE OR MUNICIPAL TAXATION.

But aside from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress *exempts all bonds and Treasury notes from local taxation*. On the average, this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum, according to the rate of taxation in various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the government. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties, or stock companies, or seperate communities only, is pledged for payment, while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all the obligations of the United States.

While the government offers the most liberal terms for its loans, it believes that the very strongest appeal will be to the loyalty and patriotism of the people.

Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposits.—The party depositing must endorse upon the *original* certificate the denomination of notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endorsed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be forwarded to the Treasury Department.

SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Treasurer of the United States, at Washington, the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositaries, and by the

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALTOONA.

and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and all

RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS

throughout the country will give further information and AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS.

aug. 10,-3mo

FIRST NATIONAL STORE
OF ALTOONA,

IN THE ROOM FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY J. B. HILEMAN.

J. W. CURRY,

WOULD MOST RESPECTFULLY inform the public, that he has purchased J. B. HILEMAN'S stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c., and will continue the business at the old stand.

To the stock purchased from Mr. H. I have just added a large and select assortment of

DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, SILKS, NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE, QUEEESWARE, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE, GROCERIES, FINE VARIETIES OF TOBACCO!

And in fact everything usually kept in a first class country store, which was bought low for cash and will be sold at corresponding low prices for cash or country produce, and request the public to give me a call before purcasing elsewhere, feeling satisfied I can offer superior inducements to cash buyers.

Altoona, April 27,-tf

TIME AND BEAUTY!
CLOCKS, WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

THE undersigned respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a

CLOCK, WATCH and JEWELRY

establishment in the room formerly occupied by Dr. Calderwood, on Virginia street, between Julia and Caroline, where he will keep on hand a fine assortment of gold and silver watches, clocks of all styles, and a handsome assortment of jewelry, gold pens and pencils, spectacles, &c.

Particular attention given to repairing clocks, watches and jewelry.

By selling for cash only, at the smallest advance on first cost, he feels sure that he can please all in price as well as quality. SAMUEL SMITH.

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W. M. LLOYD & CO., *ALTOONA, PA.,*
JOHNSTON, JACK & CO., *HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA.,*

BANKERS,

(*Late "Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co.")*

DRAFTS ON THE PRINCIPAL Cities, and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections made. Moneys received on depositc, payable on demand, without interest, or upon time, with interest at fair rates Feb. 3d, 1859.

JOHN D. SPEILMAN,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
Altoona, Blair county, Pa.

OFFICE on Main street, front of his chair shop, one door East of the National Hotel. ap9-tf

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RAGS! RAGS!! RAGS!!! CASH paid for RAGS, at EABY'S MILLINERY STORE, Virginia St., Altoona. June, 29, 1854-1y.

AMERICAN
Life Insurance and Trust Co.

COMPANY'S BUILDING Southeast Corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets, Philad'a.

Authorized Capital,	$500,000
Paid up Capital,	250,000
Assets,	1,897,746

Incorporated 1850, by the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

Insures Lives during the Natural life or for short terms, grants annuities and endowments, and makes contracts of all kinds depending on the issues of life.

Policies of Life Insurance issued at the usual mutual rates of other good companies—with profits to the assured—last BONUS January, 1861, being 43 per cent. of all premiums received on mutual policies—at Joint Stock rates, 20 per cent less than the above, or Total Abstinence rates 40 per cent. less than Mutual price. Also, a

NON-FORFEITURE PLAN,

By which a person pays for 5, 7, or 10 years only, when the policy is paid up for LIFE, and nothing more to pay; and should he be unable, or wish to discontinue sooner, the Company will issue a PAID UP POLICY, in proportion to the amount of premium paid, as follows:

On a Policy of $1,000, after payment of	5 Year rates.	7 Year rates.	10 Year rates.
1 Annual Premium, for	$200 00	$142 85	$100 00
2 " " "	400 00	285 70	200 00
4 " " "	800 00	571 40	400 00
6 " " "		857 10	600 00
8 " " "			800 00

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.
SAMUEL WORK, Vice President.
JOHN S. WILSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Alexander Whilldin,	J. Edgar Thomson,
Hon. Jas. Pollock,	Hon. Joseph Allison,
Albert C. Roberts,	Jonas Bowman,
Samuel T. Bodine,	H. H. Eldridge,
George Nugent,	John Aikman,
William J. Howard,	Charles F. Heazlitt,
Samuel Work.	

Any further information can be had by applying to the undersigned, who is the authorized agent for Blair County.

July 31, 1862-1y R. A. O. KERR.

CHANGED HANDS.
EXCELSIOR
Hat & Cap Store.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INform the public that he has taken charge of this establishment, heretofore owned by Jesse Smith, where he has now on hand a large and varied assortment of

FASHIONABLE STYLES OF

HATS, CAPS,

MISSES AND CHILDREN'S FLATS.

His stock has been selected with great care and embraces every color, shape and quality, for the accommodation of grave or gay, old or young, rich or poor.

All he asks is an examination of his stock, feeling sure that he can please the most fastidious.

Aug. 17, 1864—tf. D. W. ALE.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,
The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one tofit me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House," Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26-3m JACOB SNYDER.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and camphine oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

SOMETHING NEW.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST returned from the east where he has purchased a very large and fine stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES, BROGANS, GAITERS, &C.,

which he is prepared to offer to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity at very low prices. Having purchased direct from the manufacturers for cash, he is prepared to sell at prices that will defy competition. All that he asks is that the people will call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

BOOTS and SHOES made to order on the most reasonable terms. Also repairing promptly attended to.

Don't forget the place, two doors below Post Office.

Jan. 3, 1861. M. THOMPSON, *Agent.*

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

Subscriptions $2 per annum; $1 for six months, to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly.)

Particular attention given to repairing clocks, watches and jewelry.

To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,
15-tf] Editor & Prop'r. of New York Police Gazette.
New York City.

CITY HOTEL,

TYRONE, BLAIR COUNTY, PENN'A.

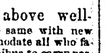
LEWIS GIEBLE, Proprietor.

HAVING purchased the above well-known Hotel and refurnished the same with new furniture, I am now prepared to accommodate all who favor me with their patronage. Free Omnibus to carry passengers to and from the Depot. April 20, '64.—1y.

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St. March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances for sale at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER. Jan. 24, '56-tf]

H. B. MILLER, DENTIST.



Office on Caroline street, between Virginia and Emma streets, Altoona. [Jan. 20—2m

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ALL KINDS OF PRINTING neatly and expeditiously executed at the "ALTOONA TRIBUNE" OFFICE.

DYSPEPSIA!

A CURE WARRANTED.

Dyspepsia has the following Symptoms:

1st. A constant pain or uneasiness at the pit of the stomach.
2d. Flatulence and Acidity.
3d. Costiveness and Loss of Appetite.
4th. Gloom and Depression of Spirits.
5th. Diarrhœa, with griping.
6th. Pain in all parts of the System.
7th. Consumptive Symtoms and Palpitation of the Heart.
8th. Cough, with Phlegm in the Throat.
9th. Nervouse Affection, and want of sleep at night.
10th. Loss of Appetite and Vomiting.
11th. Dizziness, Dimness of Vision and Loss of Sight.
12th. Headache and Staggering in walking, with great Weakness.

Out of the thousand of cases of Dyspepsia that have used Dr. Wishart's Great American Dyspepsia Pills, not one of them has failed of a perfect cure. We warrant a cure in every case no matter if of twenty years standing. Sold by all druggists everywhere, and at Dr. Wishart's Office, No. 10, N. Second street, Philadelphia, Pa. All examinations and consultations free of charge. Send for a circular.—Price $1 per box. Sent by mail, free of charge, on receipt of money.

DYSPEPSIA, DYSPEPSIA, DYSPEPSIA,

I, ELIZABETH BRANSON, of Brandywine, Del., formerly of Old Chester, Del., do certify that, for one year and a half I suffered everything but death from that awful disease called Dyspepsia. My whole system was prostrated with weakness and nervous debility; I could not digest my food: if I ate even a cracker or the smallest amount of food, it would return just as I swallowed it; I became so costive in my bowels that I would not have a passage in less than four and often eight days: under this immense suffering, my mind seemed entirely to give way. I had dreadful horror and evil forebodings. I thought everybody hated me and I hated everybody; I could not bear my husband nor my own children, everything appeared to be horror stricken to me; I had no ambition to do anything; I lost all my love of family and home; I would ramble and wander from place to place, but could not be contented; I felt that I was doomed to hell, and that there was no heaven for me, and was often tempted to commit suicide, so near was my whole nervous system destroyed, and also my mind, from that awful complaint. Dyspepsia, that my friends thought best to have me placed in Dr. Kirkbride's Hospital, West Philadelphia; I remained there nine weeks, and though I was a little better, but in a few days my dreadful complaint was raging as bad as ever.—Hearing of the wonderful cures performed by Dr. Wishart's Great American Dyspepsia Pills and his treatment for Dyspepsia, my husband called on Dr. Wishart and stated my case to him. He said he had no doubt he could cure me. So in three days after I called and placed myself under the Doctor's treatment, and in two weeks I began to digest my food, and felt that my disease was fast giving way, and I continued to recover for about three months, and at the present time I enjoy perfect health of body and mind, and I most sincerely return my thanks to a merciful God and Dr. Wishart, and to his Great American Dyspepsia Pills and Pine Tree Tar Cordial that saved me from an insane Asylum, a premature grave. All persons suffering with Dyspepsia are at liberty to call on me or write, as I am willing to do all the good I can for suffering humanity. ELIZABETH BRANSON,
Brandywine, Del., formerly of Old Chester, Delaware county, Pa.

DYSPEPSIA! DYSPEPSIA!

I, MOSES TOBIN, of Cheltenham, Montgomery county, Pa., have suffered for more than one year, everything but death itself from that awful disease called Dyspepsia. I employed in that time five of the most eminent physicians in Philadelphia. They did all they could for me with medicines and cupping, but still I was no better. I then went to the Pennsylvania University, in order to place myself in reach of the best medical talents in the country, but their medicines failed to do me any good, and oftentimes I wished for death to relieve me of my sufferings, but seeing Dr. Wishart's advertisement in the Philadelphia Bulletin, I determined to try once more, but with little faith. I called on Dr. Wishart, and told him if I could have died I would not have troubled him, and then related my sufferings to him. The Doctor assured me if he failed to cure me of Dyspepsia it would be the first case in two years, so I put myself under his treatment, and although for months vomiting nearly all I ate, my stomach swelled with wind, and filled with pain beyond description, I bought a box of his Dyspepsia Pills and took them as directed, and in ten days I could eat as hearty a meal as any person in the State of Pennsylvania, and in thirty days was a well man. I invite any person suffering as I was to call and see me, and I will relate my suffering and the great cure I received. I would say to all Dyspeptics, everywhere, that Dr. Wishart is, I believe the only person on the earth that can cure Dyspepsia with any degree of certainty.

MOSES TOBIN,
Cheltenham, Montgomery co., Pa.

Dr. Wishart's Office, No. 10 North Second street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. All examinations and consultations free.

A POSITIVE CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA.

HEAR WHAT MR. JOHN H. BADCOCK SAYS.

No. 1028 OLIVE STREET,
Philadelphia, January 22d, 1863.

DR. WISHART—SIR:—It is with much pleasure that I am now able to inform you that, by means of your great American Dyspepsia Pills, I have been entirely cured of that most distressing complaint, Dyspepsia. I had been grievously afflicted for the last twenty-eight years, and for ten years of that time have not been free from its pain one week at a time. I have had it in its worst form and have dragged on a most miserable existence—in pain day and night. Every kind of food that I ate filled me with wind and pain, it mattered not how light, or how small the quantity. I continued belching was sure to follow.—I had no appetite for any kinds of meats whatever, and my distress was so great for several months before I heard of your Pills, that I frequently wished for death. I had taken everything that I had heard of for Dyspepsia, without receiving any benefit; but on your Pills being recommended to me by one who had been cured by them, I concluded to give them a trial, although I had no faith in them. To my astonishment, I found myself getting better before I had taken one quarter of a box, I *am now a well man, and can eat anything I wish*, and enjoy a hearty meal three times a day, without inconvenience from anything I eat or drink. If you think proper you are at liberty to make this public and refer to me. I will cheerfully give all desired information to any one who may call on me.

Yours, respectfully, JOHN H. BADCOCK.

For sale at Dr. Wishart's Medical Depot No. 10 North Second street, Philadelphia, Pa. Price one dollar per box. Sent by mail, free of charge, on receipt of price.

DYSPEPSIA! DYSPEPSIA!

I, Samuel D. Haven, have been a great sufferer with Chronic Dyspepsia and Inflamation of the Kidneys for three years. I had employed three or four of the most eminent physician of Philadelphia, also of Burlington co., N. J. They did all for me they could but all to no purpose. I was constantly filled with awful pain and distress, and with constant belching of wind and sour acid. My tongue was covered with a white coating of mucus, and was dreadfully sore! Oh! I oftentimes wished for death to relieve me of my sufferings for I had lost all hope of ever being well again. I made it a subject of prayer to God that he would direct me to some physician or medicine that would cure me. I was told to read an advertisement of Dr. Wishart's in the Philadelphia Ledger, of a great cure made upon Mr. John Badcock, of 1028 Olive street, Philadelphia, by the great American Dyspepsia Pills. I went to the Doctor's office, and placed myself under his treatment, and told him if he failed to cure me it would be the last effort I would make. It has been six weeks since I commenced the use of his medicine, and I am now a well man, free from all pain and distress, and can eat three hearty meals a day with comfort, and feel perfectly well. Dr. Wishart, I want you to publish my case, as I want every poor dyspeptic sufferingas I was, to call on me, and I will tell them of the great cure I have received from your invaluable medicine.

SAMUEL D. HAVEN.

Corner Venango and Lambert streets, near Richmond, street, formerly from Wrightstown, Burlington co., N. J.

The above are a few among the thousands which this great remedy has saved from an untimely grave.

We have thousands of letters from physicians and druggists who have prescribed and sold the Tar Cordial saying that they have never used or sold a medicine which gave such universal satisfaction.

PREPARED ONLY BY THE PROPRIETOR,

DR. L. Q. C. WISHART,

No 10 North Second Street,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

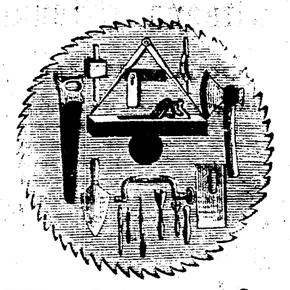
Sold by Druggists everywhere at Wholesale by all Philadelphia and New York Wholesale Druggists.

For sale by A. ROUSH, Dr[illegible], Altoona, Pa.
April, 1 1864.—1y.

FRITCHEY'S NEW STORE, corner of Caroline and Virginia Sts.

GREAT PILES OF PANTALOONS for Men and Boys, at LAUGHMAN'S.

FRIES & WILLIAMS.



Hardware, &c.

The subscribers having taken charge of the Hardware Store and Stove and Tin Shop recently under the charge of Samuel I. Fries, on Virginia street, opposite Kessler's Drug Store, and having added largely to their stock are now prepared to supply anything in the Hardware and Cutlery line, such as Handsaws, Axes, Augers, Adzes, Chisels, Squares, Rules, Hammers, Planes, Hinges, Locks, Latches, Files, Knives and Forks, Spoons, &c., &c., all of which they offers on the most reasonable terms.

Persons wishing anything in the Hardware line are requested to call and examine their stock.

They have also added Oils, Paints, Carbon Oil, etc., to their stock, and will dispose of all these articles at a small advance on first cost.

The will also continue the

STOVE BUSINESS,

and will keep on hand an assortment from which any person will be able to select an article to please their fancy.

In the line of

TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE,
CEDAR and WILLOW-WARE

they will always have a large supply, and will make to order anything that may be called for.

Job work in this line promptly attended to.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING

put up on short notice in the best style.

April 27, 1864.-tf.

NEW GOODS.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he has just returned from the East, where he has been selecting his stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which, for style, quality and price, cannot be surpassed in this neck of country. His stock is much larger than heretofore, and as it is quite an object, in these exciting war times, for every one to purchase where they can get

The Best Goods and at the Lowest Prices,

he would say that he can and will sell as low, if not a little lower than any other house in this place. He wishes all to call and say his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident he can offer inducements which will defy competition. His stock consists of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS of every description,
MEN AND BOYS' WINTER WEAR,
LADIES AND MISSES' DRESS SHOES,
MEN AND BOYS' BOOTS AND SHOES.
MEN'S HALF HOSE
WOMEN'S AND MISSES' WOOL HOSE.
HATS AND CAPS,
BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED MUSLIN.
GINGHAMS AND HEAVY DRILLINGS.

He will sell Ladies Sewed, Heeled Bootees at $1.50@1.75
Kip Pegged..... 1.37@1.50
Men's Boots..... 2.75@3.50
BALMORAL SKIRTS, very low.

GROCERIES.

White and Brown Sugar, Rio Coffees, Syrups, Teas, &c., and everything that is usually kept in a Dry Goods Store, and as cheap as the cheapest. J. A. SPRANKLE.

Altoona, Oct. 7, 1863.

FAMILY DYE COLORS.

Patented October 13th, 1863.

Black, Black for Silk. Dark Blue. Light Blue. French Blue. Claret Brown. Dark Brown, Light Brown. Snuff Brown. Cherry, Crimson. Dark Drab. Light Drab. Fawn Drab, Light Fawn drab, Dark Green. Light Green. Magenta, Maize, Maroon, Orange. Pink, Purple. Royal Purple, Salmon, Scarlet. Slate, Solferino, Violet, Yellow,

For dyeing Silk, Woolen and Mixed Goods, Shawls, Scarfs, Dresses, Ribbons,